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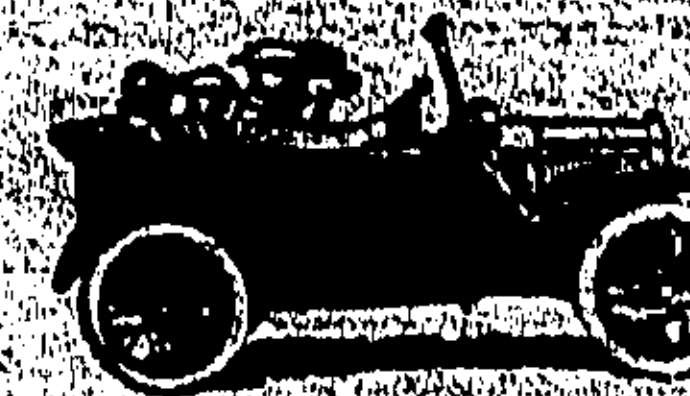
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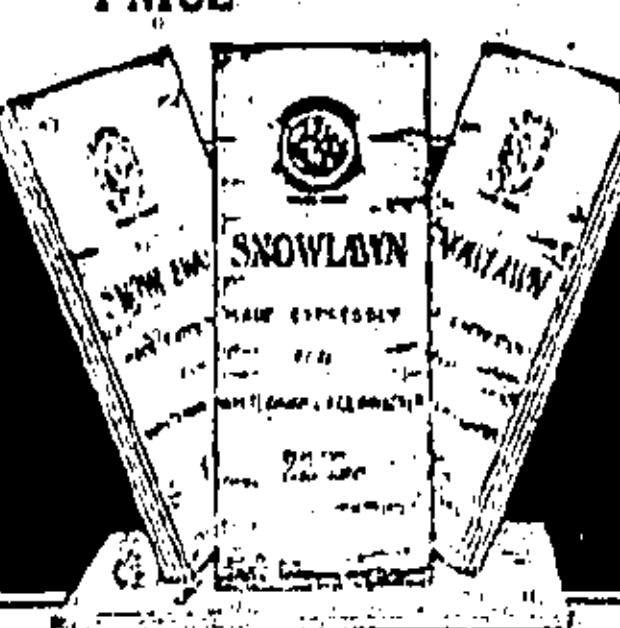
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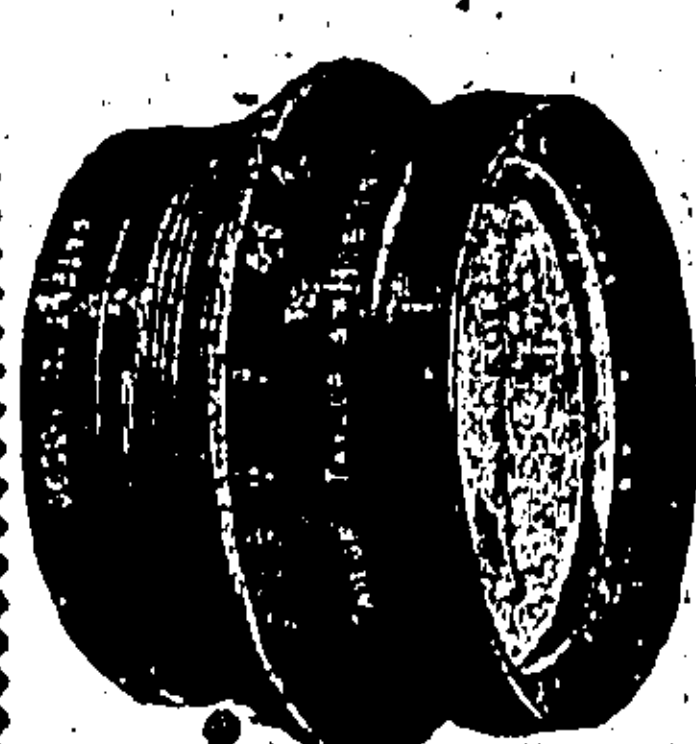
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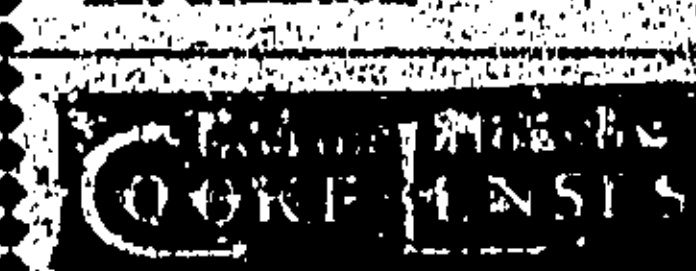
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BROKERS' BUSY DAY.

"SURPRISES NOT UNEXPECTED."
I.O.U.'s PILING UP?

Many People Said to Have Been Caught "Short."

A feature of to-day's monthly settlement on the stock exchanges was the persistent rumour that certain people have been caught "short."

"Take it as gospel or fiction," replied a broker to a "China Mail" reporter this morning. "This settlement is very big indeed and I.O.U.'s are piling up in the various offices."

"Why should this be so?" the reporter queried. "Because so many have sold short, which in plain English means that they have sold shares which they did not possess, but which they hoped to pick up when the market came down (it did not) and they are raising Cain to find the shares at the last minute."

Just at this minute one of the well-known Ice House Street men came walking along with his bowler hat hanging on the back of his head. He was looking glumly into a sheet of figures. On his arrival, the other broker got rid of the reporter by referring him to the new-comer, who in turn was lost as a client came up with a cheque, the broker rushing off without the gloomy look.

Cements, Electrics, Trams, also Ferries and to a smaller extent China Lights were the shares which occupied most attention. Nearly everybody who was anybody was armed with cheques to be distributed but only a few carried share scrips and transfer deeds. Quite a number had those little slips which are described as I.O.U.'s and are almost recognised as legal tender between members of the same association. These I.O.U.'s are to facilitate the transaction of business; a slip passes round and round in the course of settlement until it ultimately returns to the man who issued it.

One broker condescended to explain the somewhat intricate in Cements. It was believed that a good many had sold short. When they came out to cover, i.e., to buy and thus make up the quantities they had contracted to sell, the price shot up to \$31½ for cash. At that stage a number of holders disposed of their shares as they were satisfied. With shares coming out, the market eased off, and this morning shares could be had at \$30 for cash, or thereabouts. In spite of the fact that some shares had come out, the "shorts" could not get as much as was required. Apparently, something similar had happened in the case of the other shares referred to. China Lights had also moved up since Saturday.

Of the half dozen or so brokers approached, all were unanimous that surprises would not be unexpected, but none would commit himself, disposing of the inquisitive reporter by saying that it was too early to say one way or the other. In the opinion of the majority, the volume of business was very big, and might be equal to the record. Had it not been for the large amount of offsetting between the brokers, the actual value of shares changing hands would also have been considerable for the month of March, 1925.

Yet another broker gave his opinion as "With nobody going into figures and intrinsic values but with the market being regulated by the presence of Jongs' or 'shorts' it is impossible to tell if shares which are already considered high will appreciate even further or whether a slump will occur. No doubt, the market is 'jumpy' but nevertheless, a healthy tone prevails. This augurs well for the future."

Interest in the settlement was by no means confined to brokers, speculators and investors. Of three street coolies standing outside the corner of the Netherlands Bank in Ice House Street, one was posing as the expert for the benefit of the other two. "How easy it is to make a fortune by just running about," he remarked to his colleagues by way of introduction. "Those Tramway Co. shares were only worth \$20 or so a little time ago and without much care for accuracy, it has to be stated—in a few days they are over \$30. My friend, in the no-and-so firm has cleared a tremendous sum. What are you going to do about it?" one of his audience interrupted. "After a moment's reflection," the speaker said, "I shall ask

him for the job of doorkeeper at the native village when he builds his big house."

An amah was rash enough to wait at the same corner for a former employer to procure a recommendation to a new situation. By laying hands forcibly on the shafts, she managed to stop a broker's rishah, the busy man having once been her "massah" who had now given up his house owing to "missy" having gone home. "I'm much too busy, come again next week for that chit you want," he retorted in answer to her smile and drove off.

LOST HIS MONEY.

THEN TRIED TO TAKE HIS LIFE.
TO BE SAVED IN TIME.

Loss of money and clothing through fire was the reason given for the attempted suicide of a stone mason of the Netherlands Harbour Works, North Point, who was charged before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Central Magistracy this morning.

The defendant was found hanging by his neck at 1.15 a.m. yesterday inside a shed where he slept. The attempt was foiled by an Indian watchman who was attracted to the spot by the man's groans.

A superintendent of the company stated that the man came from Swatow and was an excellent workman. It was true that the man was depressed after the loss of his property in a fire. Witness was prepared to take him back. On an undertaking given by the

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Users of the ferry are of course aware that in the rush hours this service is maintained, but a continuous service of this kind will be an even greater boon. This will be made possible by the coming increase in the number of boats on the run from five to seven. Work on the two new boats is being pushed ahead and the time should not be far distant when the new service will come into operation.

The attempts that are being made to re-establish permanent rail communication between Hongkong and Canton are bound to materialise eventually and the increase in traffic

that will follow will have a material effect on the use of the ferry service and will justify the enterprise of the Company.

With the completion of the two boats in course of construction, the Company will have added four new boats in a comparatively short period of time, considering that none were built between 1904 and the advent of the new boats now running.

Opportunity for thorough test of these two latest boats has now been presented in the time that they have been on the run and the feeling of safety their easy running and compactness has given has been the object of much congratulatory comment. Even when with a fairly full complement a rush is made for the gangway observers have noted that there is not the slightest effect upon the balance of the boats.

A "China Mail" representative who called this morning on Mr. P. H. Chapnell, Secretary of the "Star" Ferry Co., Ltd., and asked if it was anticipated that the new boats would be able to be kept running longer than the old ones in typhoon weather, replied that it was impossible to tell until they had been given a test, but size and balance were of little avail when it came to a strong typhoon. The ferries would be kept running as long as was considered safe.

FIGURES IN THE WORLD'S NEWS SPOTLIGHT.



Here is the latest photograph of Queen Victoria of Spain and her daughters, the Infantas Beatriz and Cristina, showing Her Majesty and the Princesses seated on side saddles at the start of the day's hunt at "La Venta de la Rubia."



Raisuli, brigand and rebel leader of the Rif of Morocco, who was reported dead again recently for the fifteenth or fortieth time. But, unfortunately for Spain, Raisuli refuses to stay dead.

TOOT! TOOT!

DENSE FOG DELAYS
TOURISTS.

OVER TWO HOURS LATE.

Not only have Hongkong residents been inconvenienced by the heavy mist overhanging the Peak and the harbour but incoming ships and a party of Empress of France tourists also been delayed.

On Sunday, the Canton night boat was two or three hours late. Last night, the Kinsan returning from Canton did not get in till after two in the morning when the usual hour of arrival is before midnight. It is believed that the steamer had to slow down through running into a fogbank.

Both this morning and yesterday, launches on the harbour were tooting merrily away picking out their course slowly in the maze of native craft before sunrise.

Incoming ships from the North report either dense mist, fog, or poor visibility and otherwise unfavourable navigation conditions, but those from the South report good weather. Not only did the river steamers have a difficult journey from Canton, but three or four coasting vessels also shared their experience.

"What Theosophy does for us" will be the subject of this week's Public Meeting of the Hongkong Lodge The Theosophical Society, 16, Queen's Road, Central, tomorrow evening at 5.45 p.m. The Public are invited.

Shanghai, March 23.—The contents of the Kiangnan Arsenal are to be put up to auction, during the week-end. The Arsenal is to be open to inspection from the 26th to the 28th inst., after which bids will be received. No decision has been reached regarding the disposal of the land and buildings, which are variously estimated to be worth from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000, but the Committee of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce are conferring with a delegate of the War Minister on the question. (Continued on Daily Bulletin.)

BANK CASE.

PRIVY COUNCIL APPEAL
REFUSED.

Judgment was given this morning against Mr. F. G. Jenkin in connection with his application for provisional leave to appeal to the Privy Council against an order of the Court allowing a rehearing of the Tai Wo Co. and Bank of East Asia case, in which figure cheques allegedly false.

Their Lordships (Sir Henry Gompertz and Mr. Justice Gompertz) held that they could not in this case exercise the discretionary powers invested in them. With regard to the use of a newspaper extract by the then Chief Justice in his notes they held that this did not, as argued by Mr. Jenkin, raise any question of great general or public importance.

Mr. Eldon Potter K.C. had argued against Mr. Jenkin.

\$40,000 OPIUM RAID.

ONE ARRESTED MAN
DISCHARGED.

Before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Central Magistracy this morning, Chan Kwok Tsan and Lam Shi Yam were charged on remand in connection with the attempted export of \$40,000 worth of opium on board the s.s. Loretto.

Chief Preventive Officer S. J. Clarke, who prosecuted in the absence of Mr. J. D. Lloyd, stated that he had no case against Lam Shi Yam, the first arrest took place after the seizure. The man was accordingly discharged.

The case against Chan Kwok Tsan was adjourned until next Friday afternoon.

RENTS LAW CASE.

The "Nanyang Brothers" case was the basis of Mr. Eldon Potter's argument in the Supreme Court this morning when he appealed against a judgment of Mr. H. H. J. Gompertz in respect of premises in Sai On street which the Pui-sue Judge had held were protected under the Ordinance.

Mr. Potter held that he had an even stronger case than that of the Nanyang Brothers, which had been a godown and had been held not to constitute a domestic tenement because foks slept in it at night.

In this case the offices in question had been occupied for 30 years for the purposes of carrying on business in connection with the preparation of molasses the manufacture of gunny bags and their sale.

Eighteen foks including a salesman slept there and an accountant had his meals there.

There will be a Musicales at the Helena May Institute on Thursday, March 26, at 5.30 p.m. Tea served from 4.30. Tickets for members and their friends, 50 cents each, to be obtained from the Secretary.

The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, who has been absent from business for a week or so through an attack of influenza has now recovered.

HOTEL THEFTS.

NIGHT WATCHMEN
CONVICTED.

Before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry at the Central Magistracy this morning, two Chinese night watchmen of the Hongkong Hotel were charged, one with the theft of a cigarette case and the other with receiving it knowing it to have been unlawfully obtained. The defence was that the article was found in a bath-room.

The receiver was arrested in a pawnshop by a Chinese detective following a move to conceal the cigarette case. A confession extracted from him resulted in the arrest of the other man.

Mr. H. White, assistant manager of the Hongkong Hotel, said that a large number of petty thefts took place from time to time, and he was glad that the thieves were caught this time. The instructions to the employees were to hand over all property found to the manager or assistant manager. Witness added that the men would not be taken back.

The Magistrate imposed a fine of \$25 each or in the alternative three weeks' hard labour.

HAMMER DEATH.

The Chinese who was found at Kowloon City Road last week with serious injuries to his head has since died in hospital. It is believed that the man was attacked on the head with a hammer by some persons unknown. Investigations are proceeding.

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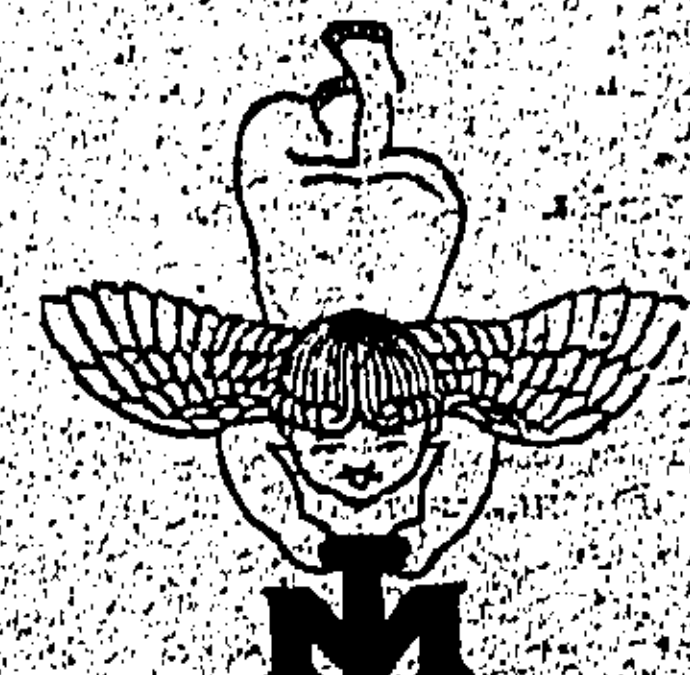
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"KARMALA"	9,128	18th Apr.	Marseilles, London, Antwerp & Hull
"NACORA"	6,813	21st Apr.	Singapore, Penang, Col'bo & B'way
"LAHORE"	6,312	23rd Apr.	Singapore and Bombay
"MACDONIA"	11,088	2nd May	Marseilles and London
"SARDINIA"	6,884	18th May	Singapore, Penang, Col'bo & B'way
"NAGOVA"	6,884	28th May	Marseilles and London
"BOUDAN"	6,884	30th May	Singapore, Penang, Col'bo & B'way
"MORSA"	10,811	30th May	Marseilles and London
"SIOLIA"	6,813	7th June	Singapore, Penang, Col'bo & B'way
"KALYAN"	6,144	19th June	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"MALWA"	10,841	27th June	Marseilles and London
"KASIMIR"	6,884	11th July	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"SARDINIA"	6,884	22nd July	Singapore, Penang, Col'bo & B'way
"MANTUA"	10,842	28th July	Marseilles and London
"KASIMIR"	6,884	8th Aug.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"MACDONIA"	11,088	22nd Aug.	Marseilles and London
"KARMALA"	9,128	5th Sept.	Marseilles and London
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"KALYAN"	6,000	1st Apr.	Manila, Farakan, Thursday Island,
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"TAKADA"	6,888	3rd June	Melbourne.
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"MAEDONIA"	11,088	3rd Apr.	Kobe.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,600	4th Apr.	Moji and Kobe.
"TALMA"	10,000	14th Apr.	Shanghai and Kobe.
"SARDINIA"	6,884	17th Apr.	Moji and Kobe.
"NAGOVA"	6,884	23rd Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"TAKIWA"	7,888	25th Apr.	Kobe.
"CODAN"	6,888	1st May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"MORSA"	10,811	1st May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"TAKADA"	7,888	3rd May	Kobe.
"TALMA"	6,888	9th May	Moji and Kobe.
"KALYAN"	6,144	15th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"SIOLIA"	6,813	15th May	Shanghai and Kobe.
"MALWA"	10,841	28th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ARAFURA"	6,000	12th June	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KASIMIR"	6,884	18th June	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"SARDINIA"	10,808	28th June	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,600	4th July	Moji and Kobe.
"KASIMIR"	6,884	10th July	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"BOUDAN"	6,884	10th July	Shanghai and Kobe.
"MACDONIA"	11,088	24th July	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KARMALA"	9,128	1st Aug.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"SIOLIA"	6,813	7th Aug.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	6,888	7th Aug.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"KARMALA"	16,277	20th Aug.	Shanghai
"ARAFURA"	6,000	1st Sep.	Moji, Kobe and Yokohama

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March 24.—Coronet Theatre, "Three Women."

March 24.—Star Theatre, "Fair Lady."

March 24.—World Theatre, "The Gaiety Girl."

March 24.—Queen's Theatre, "Fascination."

March 24.—Eleventh piano-forte recital of Prof. Danenberg's pupils, 5.30 p.m.

March 25.—Theatre Royal, Matinee: "The Gondoliers," 4.30 p.m.

March 25.—Star Theatre, Madeline Rossiter Company, present "Swish" 9.30 p.m.

March 26, 27, 28.—Theatre Royal, "The Gondoliers," 9 p.m.

March 30.—Mr. Harry Ore's piano-forte recital at City Hall.

April 2.—Concert in aid of funds for Missions to Seamen.

SOCIAL.

March 26.—Musical at Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.

SPORTS.

March 28.—"Sunday Herald" Charity Cup, football, Winner v. Rest, Club Ground, 4.30 p.m.

April 11.—Hongkong Jockey Club's third extra race meeting, 2.30 p.m.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

March 30.—Lammert Bros., at No. 13, Knutsford Terrace, Kimberley Road, Kowloon, household furniture, 2.45 p.m.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

March 27.—Fifty-sixth meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine, Matheson's offices, noon.

March 28.—Meeting of shareholders of the Douglas Steamship Company, Ltd., at the Co.'s Office, 20 Des Voeux Road, Central, 11 a.m.

March 30.—Yearly meeting of the H.K. and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., at 2 Queen's Building, noon.

March 31.—Forty-seventh meeting of shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine Matheson's office, 11 a.m.

April 8.—General meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street, noon.

OTHER MEETINGS.

March 24.—Meeting of Marine Engineers' Guild of China, at Guild Office, Sailors' Home, West Point, 5 p.m.

March 25.—Annual meeting of the Hongkong New Territories Evangelical Society in the Hall of the Union Church, 5.15 p.m.

MISSION.

March 24-25.—Lenten Mission at the Catholic Cathedral, 6 p.m. every day except Sunday, 4.30 p.m.

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The P. & O. s.s. "Kashmir" from Hongkong arrived Marseilles on Mar. 11 at 6 p.m.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" arrived at Shanghai on Mar. 13 at 11 p.m. and is due at Kobe to-morrow at 5 p.m.

The P. & O. s.s. "Talma" left Singapore for this port on March 13 at 11 p.m. with the outward English Mails and is due here to-day.

The A.O.L. s.s. "Pera" left London for this port on Mar. 4 on schedule.

The B.E. s.s. "Benlaw" from Leth Middlebro, Antwerp and London, left for this port on 15 and is due here on Mar. 23.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" arrived at Shanghai on Mar. 2 at 10 a.m. and is due at Hongkong to-morrow at 8 a.m.

The B.F. s.s. "Fushimi Maru" left Kowloon Wharf on arrival at Hongkong at 11 p.m. and is due at Hongkong at 10 a.m.

The B.F. s.s. "Fushimi Maru" left Singapore on Mar. 21 for Hongkong and is due here on or about March 27.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Ito Maru" (mail and passenger line) left Kobe for Hongkong via Nankai and Shanghai on Mar. 20 and is expected here on Mar. 28.

The B.F. s.s. "Hector" from Liverpool left Suez on Mar. 10 for this port and is due here on or about Mar. 20.

The C.O. s.s. "Pera" from London, which is due at this port on Apr. 6, sailed from Seattle on Mar. 16 on schedule.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Fushimi Maru" left London for Hongkong via Suez on Mar. 18 and is expected here on Apr. 6.

The B.F. s.s. "Agamemnon" left Liverpool on Mar. 1 for Suez, Hongkong, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama and is due at this port on or about Mar. 10.

The C.P. s.s. R.M.S. "Empress of Australia" left Vancouver for Hongkong via Japan ports and Shanghai on Mar. 3 and is due here on Apr. 10.

The B.F. s.s. "Mantana" from Liverpool left Suez on March 17 for Suez, Hongkong, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama and is due at this port on April 13.

The D.S.L. s.s. "President Monroe" which is due at this port on April 3, sailed from San Francisco on Mar. 14 on schedule.

The B.F. s.s. "Mentor" left Liverpool on Mar. 14 for Suez, Hongkong, Shanghai and Hankow and is due at this port on Apr. 15.

The B.F. s.s. "Cachia" from New York left Suez on Mar. 16 for Suez, Philippines and Hongkong and is due at this port on April 17.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Hakozaki Maru" (European-Asian Line) left London for Hongkong via Suez on Mar. 14 and is expected here on Apr. 21.

The D.S.L. s.s. "President Harrison" which is due at this port on April 17, sailed from New York on March 5 on schedule.

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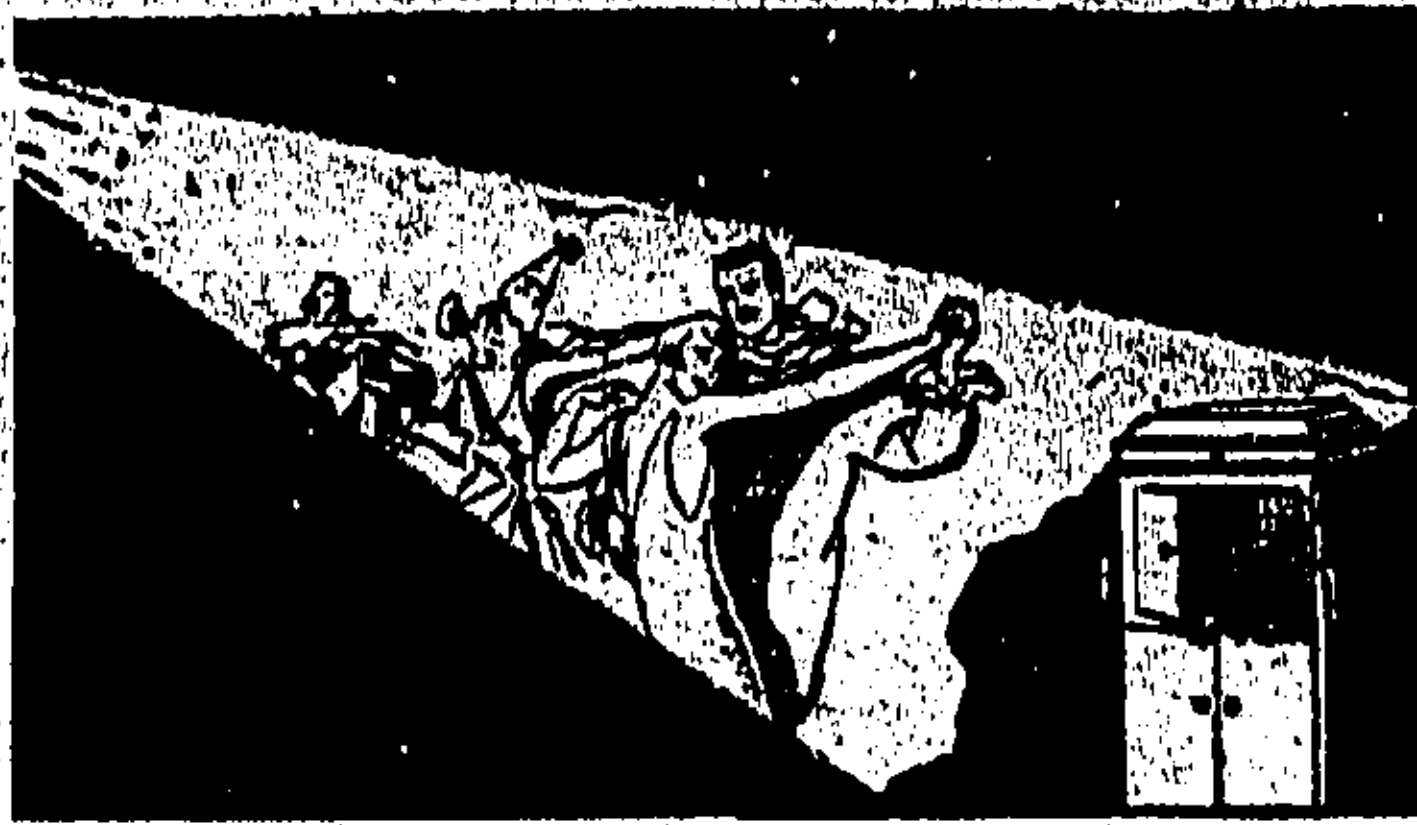
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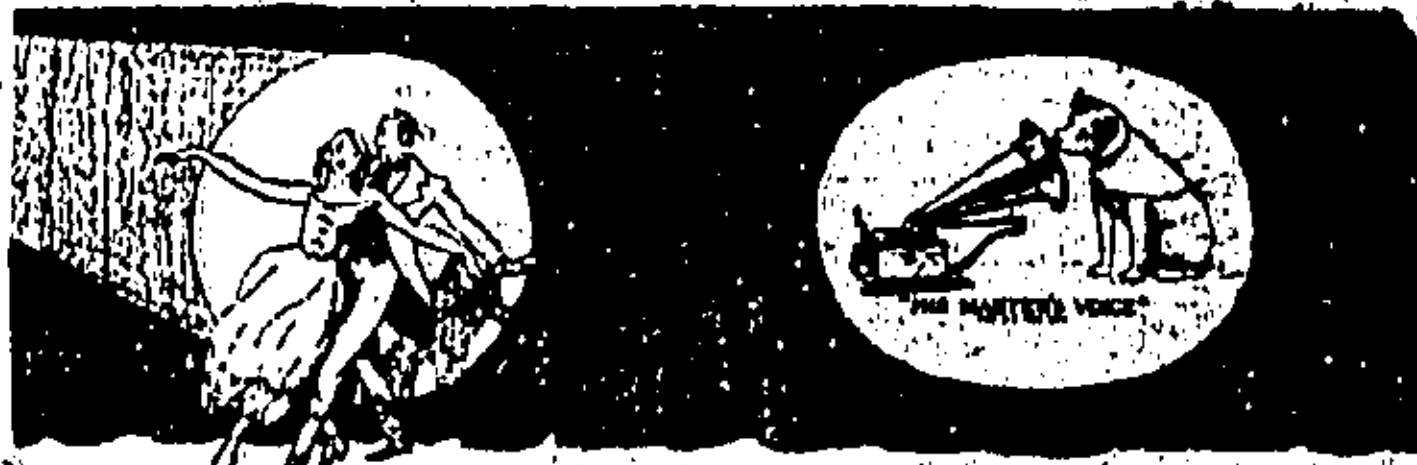


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TIME TO ACT!

Which is the Colony's most urgent problem? Twelve months ago it might have been difficult to have found an answer for that question, so many were the pressing matters that required attention—piracy, the military lands, housing, education, transport facilities and others little less important. To-day however there can be only one answer to the question. Without a doubt health is the Colony's most urgent problem. That this view is not held solely by the newspapers is proved again by the letter we publish to-day in our correspondence columns from a reader who signs himself "Reform." This letter provides such a succinct survey of the problem that there is no need to traverse here the many reasons why the present obsolete health system should be scrapped without further delay to make room for one that will be adequate to the Colony's ever growing needs. "Reform" however errs upon one point. Undoubtedly, whatever departments may be needed to deal with different aspects of the Colony's health problem, there

should be one central authority responsible to the Government and the public. "Reform" suggests the Principal Civil Medical Officer, but we must point out—not for the first time—that the P.C.M.O.'s work represents an almost entirely different sphere from the work of the Medical Officer of Health, whose training is expressly designed to equip him for dealing, not simply with medical and hospital matters, but with questions of public hygiene. Otherwise we are in complete agreement with "Reform" and we trust that his spirited letter will have the effect of calling attention once again to a very urgent problem, not this time to provide scope for a fruitless Legislative Council debate and a few facetious remarks, but to spur a tardy Government into long overdue activity.

H.M.S. Hongkong.

A poet and a writer once again uses a drop of ink and makes us think. To be more correct, a poet utters a word in season and produces a subject for serious discussion. Mr. Rudyard Kipling likens Great Britain to a ship with a passenger list, including stowaways, of 45 millions. Owing to peculiarities of her construction, there are never more than six weeks' supplies of consumable stores aboard her at one time. The balance must come by ship, and if the shipping does not come, a fortnight would deliver H.M.S. Gt. Britain to panic indescribable, and three months would see "us embarked on the gallant adventure of cannibalism." Here the symbolism may cease so far as H.M.S. Gt. Britain is concerned. The picture is realistic to a degree. It puts home conditions in a nutshell. It reminds us of Hongkong. A ship, indeed: so many thousands of passengers; consumable supplies "on board" of so many weeks' duration; the balance must come by ship. What is wrapped up in this fanciful but true picture? We can think of some of the things: a contented people; harbour developments; suppression of piracy; aerial defence; a free port; reasonable freights; and even the creation of the Singapore Base. H.M.S. Hongkong!

Child Slaves.

As has been shown in Hongkong, a promising field for reform exists in the areas under foreign influence and it is here at least that the Western conscience can be stirred to mitigate the cruelties which the development of Western methods, often by Western capital, has brought to the East. Thus the "Manchester Guardian" in an editorial dealing with recent steps taken to end child slavery in China. The writer of the above passage shows unusual discrimination and has kept himself more in touch with such developments here than others who, treating Shanghai as the only scene of such operations, have ignored one of the strongest arguments in favour of the proposed regulations—the success that attended similar regulations here. "They have been put into operation to the satisfaction of the Commissioners and there is not the slightest doubt as to their having improved matters greatly," was the evidence of Miss Pitt, O.B.E., before she left the Colony, and the reports made from time to time by the officials appointed have gone to show that the employers have been ready to co-operate. Long may it be so. And soon may all China follow Hongkong's example!

A Hongkong Memorial.

Mrs. Basil Tylor quickens our memories when she writes, as she now does, of Hongkong's efforts during the war, particularly in raising such large sums for what may be termed war charities. A sum of \$70,000, she reminds us, was raised in various ways in aid of the devastated regions of our staunch ally, France. This money was divided between two funds working in the Somme and the Aisne respectively. In the little town of Rosieres, a depot was established with a staff of French and English helpers, a dispensary was opened, the church was repaired and restored, and a peal of bells, named for Hongkong, was provided; the water supply and electric light plant were restored, sewing classes for girls and other social reforms were started, and a trained nurse for 21 villages was engaged, and two cars for taking her about and bringing patients in, were provided. Illness of a devoted worker makes it imperative to close down certain work, but it is desired that the dispensary should remain "as a living memorial of the British Colony of Hongkong," and it is proposed to purchase a chateau for this purpose, as well as to establish the dispensary to serve all districts, and to make part of it serve as a home for old people rendered homeless by the war. About \$5,000 is the sum needed and Mrs. Tylor—so well known here, with her husband, who was Harbour Master—makes an appeal to the generosity of Hongkong. Mrs. Tylor's address is Ker Annette, Dinard, France.

HONGKONG'S GOVERNOR.

CAN SIR E. STUBBS BE RETAINED?

"It would be a good thing if the whole community were given the opportunity of supporting the recommendation of the Council members for the retention of H.E. the Governor rather than that a mass meeting should be called by the representatives of any particular section of the community," said the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall when approached this morning for his views regarding the proposed meeting which the Hongkong Tenants' Protective Association has in its mind to convene. This was also the view of others approached by the China Mail and doubt was expressed by some as to whether the sending of a telegram as a result of such a meeting would add to the weight of the recommendation already made by the unofficial members of both Councils.

PIRATE ATTACK.

RIVER STEAMER'S ORDEAL.

CAPTURE RESISTED.

The river steamer Tai Shing, sailing between Canton and Macao, was attacked by a gang of pirates, who were about one hundred strong, on her journey from Macao to Canton on Saturday. The robbers fired their rifles at the steamer, but the guards returned the fire. After an hour's fighting, the pirates escaped. The steamer was slightly damaged by the rifle shots. Fortunately no one on board was injured, says yesterday's "Canton Times." [Two steamers, the Hang On and Shing Cheong, operated by the Tung On S.S. Co. are on the regular run between Canton and Macao, but the Tai Shing is less known to the public.]

CORRESPONDENCE.

A SUNDAY COMPLAINT.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—Yesterday, Sunday, was a regular wash-out. It rained and it rained; and I need not tell you what Hongkong is like when it rains continuously as it did yesterday. Plans for the day, made in picnic fashion, had necessarily to be cancelled; indoor seclusion became a burden when it has to be made "without the option," for we are not all possessed of such things as billiard tables, etc. To the ordinary folk then it meant the street pavement, for there is no place to go where entertainment can be obtained of a reasonable nature. True there are the cinema theatres, but these open only at 6 p.m. I understand they open at that late hour of the day because the law or the authorities enact that they shall. I submit this is an imposition and interference with the reasonable liberties of a law-abiding people. Why 6 p.m.? Why not 2 p.m., and the hours which follow? Who has made this enactment and whom does it benefit? Is it a sop to religious principles or feelings? It cannot wholly be that. If it is the sooner it is ended the better. I question if the Roman Catholic denomination has services in the evening; whilst the Protestant section commences its evening devotions at 6 o'clock. Cinema Theatres opening at 6 p.m., it may be argued constitute competition, yet they are allowed to open at this particular hour. I maintain that this is a hardship on a large class who have only the Sunday free to spend as they will. They are at once penalised on such a day as was yesterday, by having a means of entertainment barred to them at the worst period of a rainy day, because of some stupid piece of unwarranted interference with their natural liberties which is a disgrace to those who are responsible for it, and an insult to those who have to endure it.

I trust that having somewhat inadequately voiced the feelings of a large section of the community, steps will be taken to repeal an iniquitous rule.

Yours, etc.

SUNDAY FREE.

Hongkong, March 23.

DR. GRENFELL.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—It has not escaped notice that Dr. Grenfell spoke at two services in Anglican buildings. Seeing that the Doctor is probably non-conformist in his views, may I be permitted to ask why he did not speak in the recognised non-conformist building—the Union Church? I think it would have been far better if a combined meeting of all denominations could have been arranged to listen to one of the most wonderful men of the century.

Yours, etc.

A. G. M.

Hongkong, March 23.

HONGKONG BEGGARS.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—My father, who is very busy, says that the answer to "E" (what a funny name!) is to be found in Proverbs XXVII, 4, 5.

Yours, etc.

LARGE WRIT'S SON.

Hongkong, March 23.

COLONY'S HEALTH.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—What is being done to answer the question: "Who is responsible for the health of the Colony?"

This question has cropped up more than once and during the typhoid epidemic the matter figured in the press, the Sanitary Board Meetings and later at the Legislative Council, but in a somewhat modified form.

No answer has been given and the matter remains as of yore. I am inclined to believe that if there had not been a press agitation the whole system would have been changed, but as this would have meant "yielding to a press agitation and public opinion," no changes have been made.

There seems but one satisfactory solution, the reorganisation of existing departments and machinery and the vesting of the supreme power in the P.C.M.O. to whom all questions of public health should be referred.

It is outrageous to think that such matters as do crop up are referred to a cadet, a civilian, who has no technical knowledge or training. Of course he has a technical adviser in the person of the M.O.H., but this is but a division of authority, and it seems to me that the obvious M.O.H. is the P.C.M.O. The posts can be combined, preventing

SPORTS CABLES.

BOAT RACE.

OXFORD CREW'S THROAT AFFECTION.

NO SERIOUS WORK.

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, March 23. Several of Oxford's crew at Saturday's full-course trial were suffering from an epidemic of throat affection. Bennett has now developed a temperature and was absent from practice to-day. His place at bow thwart was taken by Franklin.

Mower White (the Oxford President) was able to resume at No. 5.

The crew did no serious work in the morning but paddled to below Hurlingham and practised starts on the homeward journey. In the afternoon they went to Thornycroft's by easy stages. On returning they rowed from the mile post to Putney Bridge in 4 minutes, 28 seconds.

Cambridge rested during the week-end and practised starts in the afternoon.

HOME FOOTBALL.

LATEST LEAGUE RESULTS.

LONDON "DERBY."

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, March 23. Results of football league matches played to-day are as follow, (home team given first):—

LEAGUE: DIV. I.
Arsenal..... 1 West Ham..... 2
DIVISION II
Wolves..... 2 Blackpool..... 0
DIV III (SOUTHERN)
Menthy..... 0 Norwich..... 2
[League tables posted up to date will be found elsewhere in this issue.]

LOCAL SPORT.

FAR EAST OLYMPIAD.

SOUTH CHINA'S FOOTBALL TEAM.

For the honour of representing China at association football at the Far Eastern Olympiad at Manila this summer, South China Athletic Association of Hongkong are to play Canton Christian College at the Provincial Athletic Meet commenced at Canton last week. A series of eliminating contests will be held for all branches of sport but it is expected that the South China team will once more do duty for China.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

On the Club ground at 5.15 tomorrow, the Hongkong Football Club Reserves, in a junior league match with the University, will be represented by—S. H. Garrod, D. Lyon (Capt.), E. Hanlon, T. Richmond, E. Ralston, G. Panchon, E. A. Roberts, B. Bell, S. O. Hill, A. Ferguson, J. Dixon, Reserve, J. Douglas.

BILLIARDS. TOURNEY.

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES BEGIN.

At the V.R.C. last night, the first match in the Billiards Championship was played off in two sessions. Corporal Blonden, R.E. defeated C.P.O. W. Cox by 800 points to 549. The biggest breaks were: Blonden: 40, 19, 18, 21, 37, 21, 19, 27, 21. Cox: 26, 19, 21, 34. To-night, S. C. Kwok (a semi-finalist a year or two ago) plays Lee Wing-yew. The start is at 6 p.m. Admission is 50 cents to preliminary rounds, service men half price.

overlapping and a duplication of authority.

The Sanitary Department should remain a scavenging department and be responsible for such matters, as well as cleansing, disinfection, etc.

Here we are with a rapidly extending Colony and in matters of public health as backward as in the early days of the Colony.

Officials themselves realise how we lag behind and it requires a bold bid on the part of the public to set things right and secure the reorganisation of our Health Departments. As with the Constitutional Reform Association a petition to the Secretary of State for the Colonies may be necessary.

It just requires something like this to fill the balance in favour of reforms, much needed.

Yours, etc.

Hongkong, March 23, 1925.

BRITAIN'S TRUST.

SINGAPORE BASE ESSENTIAL.

"GESTURE OF GOODWILL."

Imperial Ties With The Dominions.

Efforts to reverse the Government's decision to proceed with the Singapore naval base were defeated in the House of Commons yesterday.

WHITE AUSTRALIA POLICY.

(Reuter's Service.)

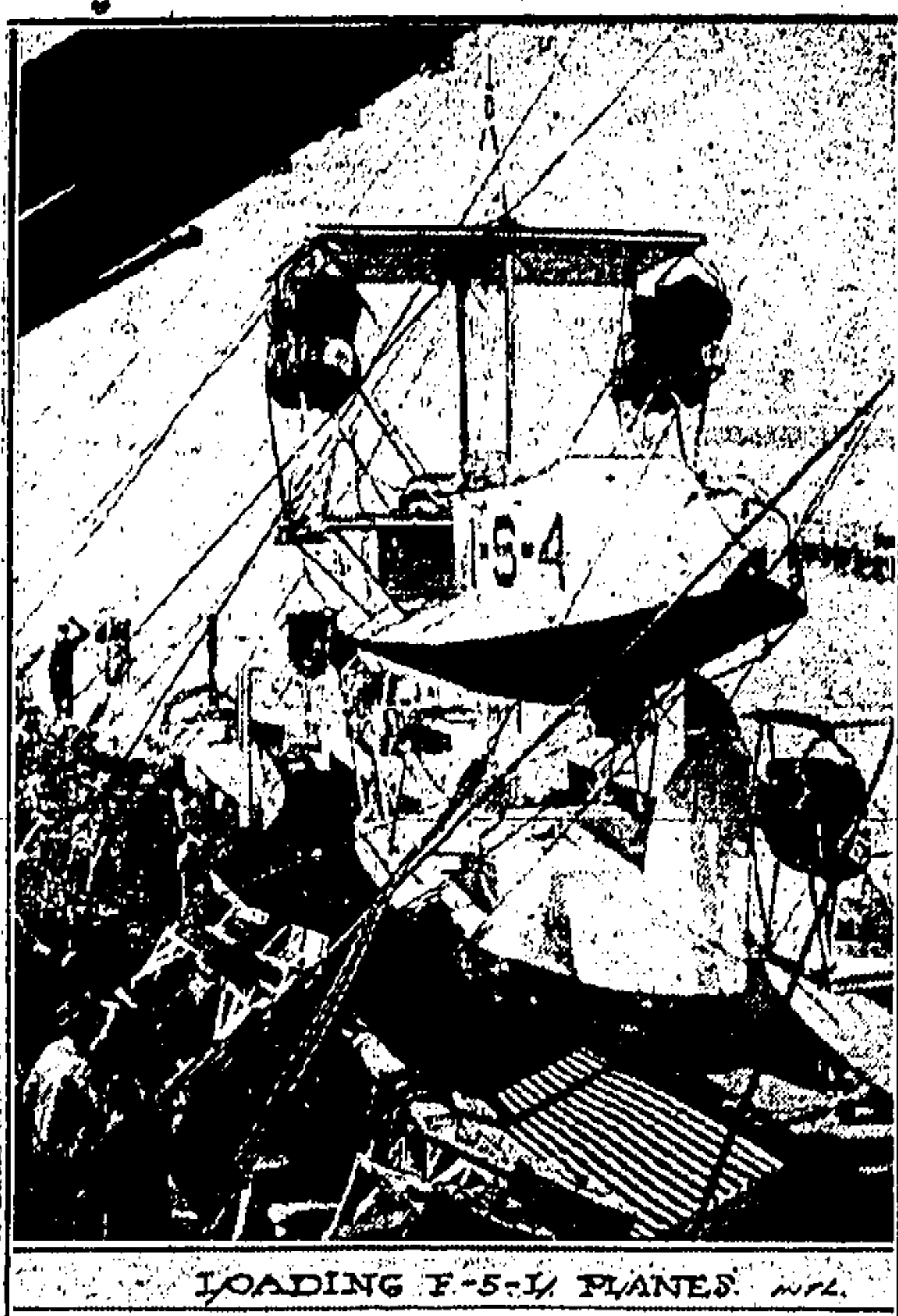
London, March 23.

In the House of Commons at the report stage of the Naval Estimates, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald attacked the Government's decision to proceed with the Singapore base.

He said the fact that the base would take over ten years to complete constituted an argument in favour of an early beginning.

No government was able to foresee when the next war was coming. The Protocol, if it had been carried into effect, would have required a much larger navy than we at present possessed. The base did not constitute an

AMERICA TAKES NO CHANCES.



Mr. Ramsay MacDonald referred to the danger of aerial attack against Singapore. Hawaii faces a similar danger but America is fast providing adequate defences. Photograph shows aeroplanes being shipped.

He declared that the Empire did not consist solely of Australia and New Zealand. The Singapore base would weaken the Empire because it would increase the war-making impulses of the world.

Mr. MacDonald referred to a remark by a member of the House of Commons last week that the Singapore base was necessary in order to maintain the white Australia policy. This M.P. said that meant that because Australia would undoubtedly persist in opposing Japanese immigration that would undoubtedly result in a military conflict between Japan and Australia, whereby sooner or later the whole Empire would be involved in war.

Mr. MacDonald suggested that an alternative was to submit the question of immigration to the League of Nations, and declared that they now knew if an international court had to decide whether a conflict between Japan and Australia arising out of immigration was international or purely domestic it would decide that immigration policy was a purely domestic affair, for the country concerned. Thus the first ground for battle would be settled legally, not militarily.

A STEP TO WAR?

Mr. MacDonald asserted that the base had been described as a perfect sifter for aeroplane attacks. The undoubted effect of the base was to turn the mind of the East towards military preparations.

Mr. MacDonald said in conclusion that the base was calculated to upset many of our chances of preserving peace in the Far East. It would mean the creation of a Pacific fleet with the probable scrapping of the Washington ratios and an ever increasing expenditure on armaments, which did not mean peace and security but inevitably war.

Sir Robert Horne, (former Chancellor of the Exchequer), emphasised that we were bound by Imperial ties to Australia and New Zealand to render them effective aid if required. We would be false to our trust if we did not complete the Singapore base and thereby left insecure our great Imperial communications on which the welfare of the country depended.

BLOOD THICKER THAN WATER.

Mr. W. C. Bridgman, First Lord of the Admiralty, replying to the debate, controverted the suggestions that Australia and New Zealand had changed their minds on the subject of Singa-

DRAMATIC POLITICS.

Egyptian Parliament Dissolved.

ONLY TEN HOURS' LIFE.

NEW ELECTIONS NEXT MONTH.

(Reuter's Service.)

Cairo, March 23.

Parliament has been dissolved. Later, the end came with dramatic suddenness, the Premier stopping



Zaghlul Pasha.

the proceedings in the Chamber and reading the decree, which was received with vociferous cheers by the Zaghlulists. The house emptied rapidly and Zaghlul who was standing with a grave countenance at the top of the gangway was hastily summoned.

Cairo, March 23. The dissolution was due to the King's declining to accept the resignation of the Cabinet following Zaghlul's election as President of the Chamber.

Following the signing of Protocol by King Fuad, Zaghlul Pasha was elected President of the Chamber by a vote of 125 to 85.

RECORD FOR BREVITY.

Cairo, March 23. A decree fixes the new elections for May 23, the new Parliament reassembling on June 1.

The Parliament lasted barely ten hours, which probably constitutes a record for brevity of any Parliament.

The precincts of the Parliamentary buildings were strongly guarded by police, but the members dispersed quietly.

Zaghlul Pasha, scholar, orator, ex-Minister and Extremist, has, ever since he was deported to Malta during the war, been Egypt's strongest proponent of Independence. After Lord Allenby became High Commissioner in 1919 and allowed him to return to Cairo, Zaghlul threw himself with vigour and energy into a campaign for the abolition of the British Protectorate. He went to London as the head of a National delegation and discussed with Lord Milner, the head of the British Mission to Egypt, his scheme for the future relationship between the two countries.

Failing, however, to get his dreams and hopes realised, he returned to Egypt an embittered man, and shortly afterwards quarrelled with Adly Pasha, then the Prime Minister, respecting the sending of another delegation to London. Zaghlul wished to lead this body, but Adly considered that this was a responsibility which he as Prime Minister should himself undertake.

From this quarrel dates Zaghlul's connection with Extremism. Hitherto he had, like Adly and other prominent Egyptians, been a Nationalist. Now he threw moderation to the winds and directed his energies to creating disorder, in which aim he has on several occasions achieved success; for he has a large following.

INDIA'S PROBLEMS.

LAW ENFORCEMENT BILL ATTACKED.

"MEASURE OF OPPRESSION."

(Reuter's Service.)

DELHI, March 23.

In the Assembly, Sir A. Muddiman introduced a Bill supplementing the Bengal Criminal Law Amendment Act of 1925.

The Pandit Motilal Nehru said the Bill was introduced in an underhand manner and was a sordid attempt to deceive the House and to persuade them to support bureaucracy and an iniquitous measure.

Mr. Jinnah also condemned the bill as a disgrace to a civilised government and a measure of oppression.

The Assembly by 74 to 37 votes passed a clause granting accused persons the right of appeal to the High Court but threw out other clauses authorising the Executive Council to order persons to be kept in custody outside Bengal and to suspend the Habeas Corpus Act in connection with the Bengal Ordinance.

Sir A. Muddiman then said he would propose that the Bill be passed to-morrow.

ELECTION DRAMA.

GERMANY'S NEXT PRESIDENT.

WHO WILL HE BE?

Chances Against Former Kaiser's Friends.

The former Kaiser's friends are believed to have very slender hopes in the first popular election for Germany's President which begins five days hence.

SEVEN CANDIDATES.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, March 23.

Seven candidates representing all groups from Fascists to Communists will now definitely compete in the first ballot for the German Presidency on March 29. They include General Ludendorff who stepped into the lists at the

Bavarian Premier Herr Held is standing; Herr Marx, representing the Centre; and the former Prussian Premier Herr Braun representing the Socialists.

The latter have been criticised for running a candidate instead of supporting Herr Marx as candidate for the Weimar Coalition, but this would have meant splitting the Socialist vote with a possible strengthening of the Communists' candidatures.

DREAMING OF POWER AGAIN?



Snapped in Exile. Doubtless he is hoping for a Reactionary victory in the coming election for President as that might lead to his recall as Kaiser of Germany.

last moment as a champion of the Fascists.

There are, however, only three serious candidates—the former Minister Herr Jarres representing the combined Right Parties, with the exception of the Bavarian Catholics, for whom the

General Ludendorff and Herr Held will weaken the chances of Herr Jarres whose manifesto is signed by the reactionaries, General Hindenburg, General Von der Goltz, and Admiral Von Tirpitz, although Herr Jarres himself denies that he is fighting for the restoration of the Hohenzollerns.

Hence the second ballot on April 26 is very likely to be a noteworthy one. This is the first popular election of a German President, for the late Herr Ebert was appointed by the Weimar Assembly. The suffrage is practically universal and both men and women are entitled to vote at the age of twenty.

ONE FIFTY YEARS.

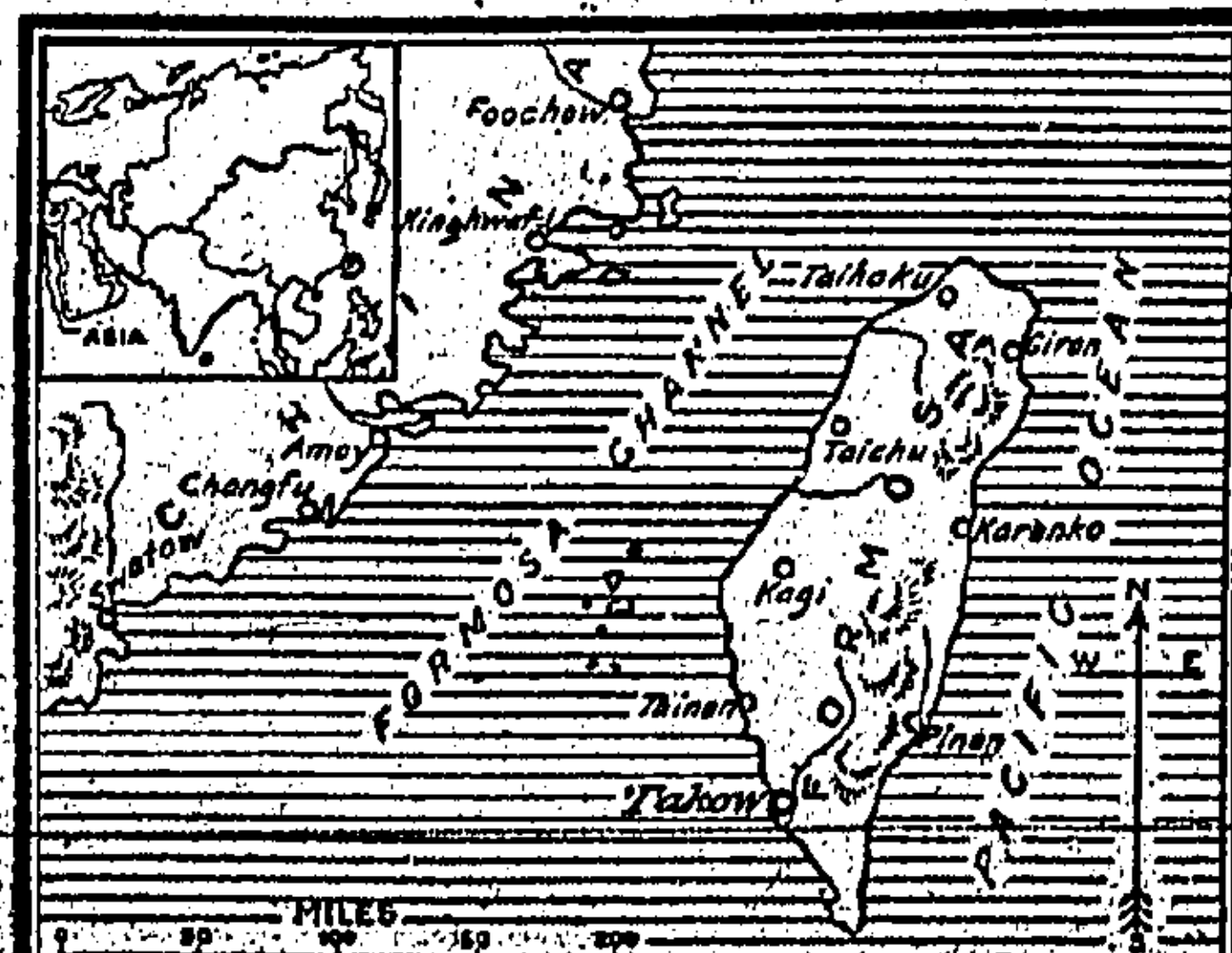
AMERICA TO CELEBRATE INDEPENDENCE.

(Reuter's American Service.)

WASHINGTON, March 23.

President Coolidge has issued a proclamation inviting the forty-eight States as well as foreign governments to participate in the International exposition at Philadelphia from June 1 to November 30 of 1926 in commemoration of 150 years of American independence.

Tokyo, March 23.—The Allen Lind Ownership Law passed the Lower House, and will be enacted later by Imperial Edict.—Courtesy of the "Daily Bulletin."



OUTBREAK IN FORMOSA.—Tokyo reports that three thousand Koreans living in Formosa have been engaged in factional fighting among themselves, causing many casualties and requiring all the police and gendarmes to disperse them and restore order.

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"THE GONDOLIERS."

ANOTHER SUCCESS-LAST
NIGHT.

Unpleasant weather conditions had absolutely no effect on local lovers of Gilbert and Sullivan, for the Theatre Royal was well filled last night when the Philharmonic Society gave their third rendering of "The Gondoliers."

So much has been written of the earlier performances that little is left to be said—either original or stereotyped. It was pleasing to note, however, that the audience was a demonstrative one in every sense of the word, once they got settled down, and encores were numerous. It must have been gratifying to the whole company, and those responsible for the production, to be the recipients of so much practical appreciation of their efforts.

Here and there weak points were discernible, but then no company—not even a professional one—is perfect or anything near perfect—and taken altogether the local performance last night put some professional efforts respecting the same opera in the shade. This is not said merely to please the personnel. It is based on experience and visible demonstration.

Hongkong should be proud of the fact that there is so much talent in its midst. The best way to encourage and further develop that talent is to rally whole-hearted round those who take the pains and the trouble to give the local public the best in opera and drama. From this viewpoint the applause and the many recalls were good to hear. The cast, individually and collectively, must have felt that their work was well worth doing.

THREE WOMEN.

CORONET'S STRIKING
PICTURE.

Simply to catalogue the striking scenes in "Three Women," the big feature film now showing at the Coronet Theatre, would be to occupy nearly a column of space, so packed is the picture with tense moments and dramatic situations. The story is not the cut and dried triangle plot. It is a tale of three women and a hardened man of the world, who values money above everything else. How this smiling villain steals the affections of each in turn and the dramatic climax that follows, how a woman is tried for her life in a court of law and what the jury has to say—these are but a few of the shades that give "Three Women" its vivid colour as one of the greatest dramas of the year. Not only is the story one of breathless interest, but the acting, too, is of commanding quality, the principal roles in a notable cast being filled by such accomplished screen players as May McAvoy, Pauline Frederick, Marie Prevost, Lew Cody, Pierre Gendron and Willard Louis. As for the staging and the filming it need only be mentioned that "Three Women," besides coming from the famous Warner Brothers Studio, bears the master stamp of the celebrated producer, Ernst Lubitsch.

HELP FOR POOR.

FREE EDUCATION SCHEME.

Philanthropic lectures, free medical consultation and a free reading library are some of the new features which a Chinese benevolent association is putting in hand. The Chung Sing Society has been running free schools at which both English and Chinese are taught to poor boys. This society is supported by public subscriptions and receipts from performances of Chinese drama by its members.

Mr. Mok Ching-kong, a director of the Bank of East Asia, is primarily responsible for the establishment of a new free school at Wai Ching Street, Kowloon, where the reading library and lecture hall will also be established. The lectures are to be strictly non-sectarian.

Through the generosity of Mr. Chin Shai-long, free Chinese medical consultation will be given at the premises of the Sam Hing, electrical contractors, at No. 47A, Elgin Street, where the poorer classes will be attended.

With the innovations referred to, the Chung Sing Society will be performing a work of charity which will be highly beneficial to the poorer Chinese. Gradual expansion has caused the society to seek new premises and it is hoped that through the influence of Mr. Li Sing-kui, who is taking a leading part in the new work, one of the doors in the newly constructed China Hong Nin Insurance Co. will be made available to the society at favourable terms, to pave the way to an even larger expansion.

GRAND OLD TIMER.

There are many kinds of popularity but perhaps the best of all is that gained by solid, worth, pleasant manners, kind words, and a cheer and smile for every body. Such is our friend W. J. Wilkinson who for so many years has been the trusted friend and employee of that great Corporation—the Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ltd. To see W. J. W. in his



comfortable 'ricsha' being carried along to some part of his company's possessions is an assurance itself of the solidity and safety of things: that if there is anything wrong "W. J. W." will see that it is put right. To come in contact with Mr. Wilkinson is to come in contact with reliability. No shifty promises—a word given—a word kept. Of no man could anything better be said. W. J. W. is essentially a family man. A man's house is his castle, and here he reigns supreme. He has given his hostages to fortune and his children rise up and call him blessed. To judge a man they say you must find out what they think of him at his work, outside his work, and inside his home. By this test a man, as a man, succeeds or fails. Apply it and see. Apply it in the case of Mr. W. J. Wilkinson and there emerges a hundred per cent. man, a credit to the community which should make Hongkong very proud.

Mr. W. J. Wilkinson of the Hongkong Land Investment Co. is one of the enthusiastic contestants in the China Mail and Sunday Herald Campaign.

CHEUNG CHAU NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Kung Yik was away longer than we expected, but has been making her regular run, often with a large number of passengers; among these on Wednesday last was a Chinese bride, carefully hidden in the familiar red chair which being too high to be carried on board the top deck, had to be put below deck, bride and all (with the exception of the roof of the chair which was removed before leaving the pier, a brown blanket being slipped over the top in its place, preventing even a bird's eye view of the lady). The chair coolies travelled with their charge, taking her off at Hongkong. However, to do the honours of the first class the roast pigs and the gifts were placed on the top deck. In the afternoon the launch was kept waiting ten minutes for the empty chair and bearers.

On Sunday last the Port was quite busy, several launches coming and going and soon it will be still more lively as the big, lofty matshed for the annual theatrical performance at the Fisherman's temple is almost completed. When the show is in full swing, launches run back and forth every hour, carrying the theatre "fans." The pier still remains in its ruined state. We are also waiting our long-promised, wireless telephone. We hope something will be done in both matters before the typhoon season. The present "Cable" is often disconnected in a storm when most needed.

The local school sports, which were such a success last year, will be held early in April, we hear.

A cement concrete entrance way has been added to No. 8 a great improvement on the earth-cut steps. The walls of Mr. Rodine's cottage have been carried up the full height and the forms put in place for the concrete roof. Plans will soon be ready for the additions and reconstruction of two of the old houses.

We are expecting several of the houses will be occupied next month by early visitors, a number of missionaries from India, China are due and they will hold their conference here.

The afforestation coolies have been steadily working, restocking and digging round the trees. The rain which is now falling will be able to soak in readily and freshen up the budding trees.

"CHILD SLAVERY"

POSITION IN CHINA
REVIEWED.

THE Y.W.C.A.'S WORK.

The efforts being made in China to bring conditions in modern factories more in accord with the international standards set by the Washington Conference were dealt with at a meeting held in London in February under the aegis of the Industrial Law Bureau of the Y.W.C.A.—particulars of which are forwarded by the Secretary of the local Y.W.C.A.

The meeting was held in honour of the recent return from China of Dame Adelaide Anderson and Miss Agatha Harrison, to the former of whom as National Industrial Y.W.C.A. Secretary of Shanghai is greatly owed the bringing about of the Child Labour Commission. The latter served on the committee.

Sir John Jordan, former Minister Plenipotentiary to Peking and Mr. H. G. Sims, former Chairman of the Municipal Council also spoke of conditions in China at this London meeting, which was attended by several representatives of the League of Nations, among them M. Albert Thomas, executive of the International Labour Office, and by many officials of the Home Government, in addition to leaders of many of London's social organizations and other men and women interested in present industrial issues.

Dame Anderson and Miss Harrison described the effort which is being made in China to bring the conditions in modern factories more into accord with the international standards set by the Washington Conference. Miss Constance Smith, Deputy Chief Factory Inspector in Great Britain and also chairman of the Industrial Advisory Committee of the World's Y.W.C.A. traced the growth of conscience concerning child labour in England, and the subsequent spread of protective legislation from country to country. Shanghai's effort to put the work of the children in her factories upon a more humane ground was shown as a striking contribution which may thus be made by one of the latest countries to be industrialized, to a struggle which concerns the greater part of the world.

Mr. Sims expressed his confidence that the ratification by full attendance at the April meeting in Shanghai. Among those who accepted invitations were: Sir Charles Addis, K.C.M.G., LL.D., Chairman, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Member of China University Committee; Mrs. Corbett Ashby, president of International Woman Suffrage Alliance; The Duchess of Atholl, Member of Parliament, Parliamentary Secretary to Board of Education; Sir Gerald and Lady Bellhouse, H.M. Chief Inspector of Factories; Sir Atul and Lady Chatterjee, High Commissioner for India; Dr. Thomas Cochran, Prominent Medical Missionary; Miss J. Kelman, Warden, Elect, Y.W.C.A. Training College, Author of "Labour in Industry"; Sir Thomas Legge, G.B.E., M.D., H.M. Senior Medical Inspector of Factories, Home Office; Miss Edith McDonald, Secretary of International Federation of Working Women; Miss H. Martindale, C.B.E., H.M. Superintending Inspector of Factories; Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Moore (Evelyn Underhill); Miss Maude Royden.

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QUEEN'S THEATRE.

In Mae Murray's newest Metro picture, "Fascination," which is presented by Robert Z. Leonard at the Queen's Theatre, most of the scenes are laid in Spain. The interior settings were designed by Charles Cadwallader, who built the "Paris café" scene for Mae Murray's previous picture, "Peacock Alley." The designs for these scenes were obtained through models at the Metropolitan Museum and from Spanish books of household design.

But, in order to avoid the possibility of having any detail criticized by the Spaniards themselves, when the picture is shown in Spain, a Spanish artist, Francis Cugat, inspected every set. His job was to go with a camera over every detail to see that it was thoroughly Spanish.

LATEST SPECIAL BONUS OFFER ENDS
S-A-T-U-R-D-A-Y.

This is final bonus period! We are now on the final lap of the "China Mail" and "Sunday Herald" great prize Campaign. The special bonus this week ending Saturday, March 28, gives 100,000 extra votes for each total of \$100 in subscription money turned in by a contestant. This is positively the last bonus offer of the Campaign.

While subscriptions may be turned in next week and right up to 6 p.m. on Saturday, April 4, after this week only the regular votes will be given on subscriptions. The Campaign will close promptly at 6 o'clock, on that date. All contestants in the office at that hour will be waited on and their votes will be deposited in the ballot box, after which the box will be sealed and turned over to the judges.

The final counting and awarding of prizes will take place in the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel beginning at 9 p.m. The totals, as far as obtained, will be announced between dances. As soon as all votes have been tallied by the judges the prizes will be awarded to the contestants. After the first three prizes have been awarded, the contestants may choose the balance of the prizes in accordance with their standings. Each contestant is requested to bring one person to act as judge. The judges so appointed will count the ballots and award the prizes.

On Tuesday, March 31, the ballot box in the Campaign office will be opened for the last time and all votes polled up to that time will be published in the paper. The ballot box will then be sealed, a slot being left open in the top to receive all ballots thereafter. The box will not be opened again until opened by the judges at the Hongkong Hotel. When the last count is published in the paper on March 31 all contestants who have not turned in at least three yearly subscriptions to the "China Mail" or one bonus will be dropped from the list.

All contestants who have at least one bonus will positively receive a prize.

Contestants whose names have been in the list at any time may be reinstated, however, with their full votes by turning in enough subscription money to make up one bonus. All contestants are requested to be present at the Hongkong Hotel to choose the prize desired. In case a contestant is unable to be present, he or she must appoint someone to choose the prize for them, and in case such is not done, the Campaign Manager will select the best prize remaining for the contestant not present.

NO CHEQUE ACCEPTED. No personal cheques of over \$36.00 will be accepted by the Campaign Manager after April 2. This rule will be rigidly adhered to. Contestants who receive personal cheques for subscriptions after that time should immediately have them cashed or have them certified by the bank on which they are drawn. No deviation will be made from this rule.

All contestants who wish to have their ballots checked with the Campaign records should apply to the Campaign Manager. This must be done before Friday, April 3, as after that time there will be a big rush and the Campaign Department will be very busy. Contestants are warned that all reserve ballots which have been issued on subscription must be in the ballot box at the Campaign office before 6 p.m. on April 4. This is most important. Ballots not in the ballot box will not be counted.

It is most important that all these rules be studied and understood fully by the contestants. If there is anything a contestant does not thoroughly understand, he is requested to call on the Campaign Manager for full explanation.

We have announced there will be a prize for every contestant who qualifies and this will be fully carried out regardless of the number of contestants in the race. The only advice that can be given to all, is "Do your best!"

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INDIAN CHARGED.

Harem Bux, an Indian, was again before the Kowloon Magistrate yesterday charged with unlawful possession of poisons and practising as a doctor.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith appeared for the Crown, and Mr. Elsiey Deltlyn (instructed by Messrs. Deacons) defended.

After the evidence of an Indian servant and an interpreter, Mr. E. R. Dovey, the Government Analyst, deposed to having found arsenic, strychnine, opium and nuxvomica in some of the bottles he examined. Witness agreed that arsenic compounded with other drugs to common use could be purchased from chemists, but prosecution would follow the discovery.

The case was adjourned until next Thursday.

GERMAN RASPUTIN.

FORMER CONVICT'S
FASCINATION.

Karl Grosskotenhaus, who is described as "the German Rasputin," has been arrested on a number of serious charges.

He declared that he was the representative of Christ on earth, and he exercised such powers of fascination over the working people of Westphalia that the sect which he founded has now 20,000 members.

His followers call themselves "Resurrectionists" and have meeting-houses in a number of the towns of the mining and iron districts.

He preached what he called "a new Christian philosophy of life" based on a monstrous interpretation of the Scriptural statement that "to the pure all things are pure."

Grosskotenhaus was once in prison for six years, and it is difficult to understand how an impostor of this sort managed to delude the hard-headed working people of Westphalia.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

H.M.S. Tarantula arrived yesterday and will return up river to-day. H.M.S. Moth has been taken into the Naval Yard to undergo refit.

The Union Epworth League of Kowloon is presenting Charles Ram Kennedy's "The Servant in the House" on the nights of April 8 and 9. The play deals with the problem of Christian brotherhood as faced by three brothers, two of whom are Christian ministers and the other a ne'er-do-well.

The Chinese Y.W.C.A. in Hongkong are this week beginning their "Finance" effort. The amount needed for this year's work over and above the money received for chess fees, is about \$4,451. This sum is to be raised by voluntary contributions to be collected from March 23 to April 6.

A message has been received in London that an aeroplane flying over Berlin crashed into the Staken Film Studio, occupied by the British Film Company of G. B. Samuelson, who, with Betty Blyth and Carlyle Blackwell is filming Rider Haggard's "She." They were all in the studio at the time, and a member of the technical staff was killed and four other people were injured. Betty Blyth was seen recently in two remarkable films shown at the Coronet Theatre.

A London tailoring firm is sending out the following: "Re Preservation of St. Paul's. As announced in the Church of England Newspaper (Personal Column) half our profits are to be devoted to above Fund until we have subscribed £1,000. Our tailoring that provides for the best but is not costly Must Appeal." It is difficult to find words to express the disgust felt at such an attempt to make trade capital out of a threatened national calamity, says a Home paper.

The latest Chinese rumour concerning Marshal Wu Pei-fu is that he has purchased a tract of land within the city of Fungchow and that he intends erecting a permanent private residence for himself.

Among the large number of references that have been made to Mr. Asquith in the Press recently one interesting little fact that has been overlooked is that he was the first, beyond the doctors and the nurses, to set eyes on the Prince of Wales. This arose by reason of the fact that he was Home Secretary at the time that His Royal Highness was born at White Lodge, in Richmond Park, on June 23, 1894. As such, it was necessary for him to be in attendance as soon as the birth of the Prince was known. Mr. Asquith has since been heard to remark that when he first saw the Prince the infant had, considerably gone to sleep in some ignorance of the excitement that his arrival in the world had caused.

In spite of very heavy rains, the 1925 carnival at Manila made a net profit of P.10,059.46. The total income amounted to P.335,842.31, and the total expenses reached P.325,782.85. A statement issued by Mr. Luz, the Director-General, says: "The financial returns of this year's carnival are very satisfactory. Taking into account that during the nine days of the carnival it rained almost every day, and that the two days of extension were also rainy, the profits made by the carnival clearly show the co-operation of the public. In fact, we feared that the carnival would be a financial failure, for in the history of the carnival there has never been registered a case where there was 11 days' continuous rain. We calculated that in this carnival we would make from P.70,000 to P.80,000 profit. It should also be borne in mind that the main object of the carnival is not to secure big profit, but to afford amusement to the people and promote the economic progress of the islands."

Three Shanghai Chinese announced that they have developed a new theory holding that the earth does not move.

The annual general meeting of the Shanghai St. Andrew's Society was held at the Shanghai Club. There was a large and representative attendance of members. The account for year ending January 31 last, showing a credit balance of \$2,993.46 were approved and the entertainment account a credit balance of \$345.88.

The Royal Opera House at Covent Garden was converted into a dance hall on February 18. Tenancy has been taken by a syndicate which conducts several halls in the West End, and dances to the music of popular jazz bands are held nightly, with the admission price as low as a half crown. This newest step in the theatre's history.

The following story is going the rounds and is strictly true. A certain young Continental diplomat, who has recently come to Peking, was introduced at a reception to a very smart Chinese lady who at once asked him in English how long he had been in Peking and whether he liked it. "Helen madame, je ne parle pas chinois," he replied in French. Stupefaction of the lady, as can well be imagined.

A great year of Chinese fashions is predicted in a London fashion note. A bride has added to her trousseau a marvellous Chinese dress of red and green with tiny designs embroidered across it. There are Chinese tea jackets, rest coats, and loose wraps made of vivid colours embroidered with large white lotus flowers with red fish and orange birds. Chinese dance frocks made in moroccan worked in many coloured skeins of silk will be seen in dance halls, and with these will be worn embroidered silk slippers.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

A London publisher announces a first novel by Mlle. Langlen, the famous tennis player.

Mrs. F. M. Basto, Mr. J. de Castro Basto, and Dr. L. Basto returned to the Colony by the Suwa Maru on Sunday.

Archdeacon Barnett writes from Singapore of a trip made by motor-car to Kuala Lumpur, by himself and Mrs. Barnett and two others. "60 miles there and back for \$10. This beats Hongkong prices," adds the Archdeacon.

Sir Harry and Lady Lauder were received with honours on their arrival in Manila. The Philippines Constabulary Band was at the wharf and played appropriate music. Sir Harry said: "Wherever the stars and stripes waves invariably there is good will and freedom."

The Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Holyoak, Misses Holyoak, the Chief Justice (Sir Henry Gollan) and party were interested spectators at the football match on Saturday at Happy Valley between Scotland and China in the concluding round of the "Sunday Herald" Cup competition.

Mr. J. E. Warner and Mr. A. E. Wood reached England on February 20 by the Hakusan Maru. Mr. Warner had with him a Chinese student from St. Stephen's College, and early on the voyage it was rumoured that the Chinese was the young ex-Emperor travelling with his tutor Mr. Johnstone disguised as Mr. Warner.

While the Weir houses are discussed everywhere, the man who created them remains very much in the background. "Willie" Weir is a modern type, combining youth, brains, and efficiency in big business. The Victorian industrial magnate would take a title, often merely a baronetcy, at the end of a lifetime, and as the crown of a career. Lord Weir is only 48, and has reached the pinnacle when he was just turned 40. He was one of Mr. Lloyd George's advisers, and in the last year was Secretary of State for Air. Lord Weir belongs to that small group of great industrial capitalists whose interests, though centred on the Clyde, have ramifications that cover almost the whole field of British industry. They are men of big ideas, and some of their ideas find their way into public policy, and the utterances of responsible public men.

His Excellency M. de Bassompierre arrived on Sunday by the s.s. Suwa Maru accompanied by Madame, and Master de Bassompierre.

Mr. Victor J. S. Ruible, a Shanghai resident, was made a Resident Fellow of the Council of the Royal Colonial Institute, at a recent meeting.

The Astuta Maru to-morrow carries as passengers Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane of the Dairy Farm Co., Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton, of Messrs. A. S. Watson Co., Messrs. R. Hunter and G. Avenall of Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., Ltd.

The Consul-General for Portugal, the Directors of the Club Lusitano, the Club de Recreo, and the Association de Socorros Mutuos, are holding a reception and tea dance in the Hall Luis de Camoens, of the Club Lusitano at 5.30 to-day, to which the Portuguese community are invited. The reception is in honour of H.E. Senhor Batalha de Freitas, Portuguese Minister to Belgium, and Madame Freitas.

Princess Victoria has benefited so much by her stay at Laganos that she has now gone on to Rapallo, on the Italian Riviera, with Major Edward Seymour and Lady Blanche Seymour. Max Beethoven lives at Rapallo. Remembering some of his caricatures, notably those of Queen Victoria and King Edward, which were withdrawn from one of his exhibitions, one wonders if Max will be persona grata with the Princess during her visit.

Following a period of 25 years' service with the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Mr. E. Packham left the Colony by the Empress of Canada, on Saturday. He was accompanied by his wife and daughter. Before he departed, the European staff of the Company presented him with a pair of silver cutlery, glasses, and a travelling rug, while the Chinese staff made the gift of a grandfather clock with Westminster chimes. Mr. E. H. Cradell, the acting Secretary, made the presentations. For many years Mr. Packham has been a member of the Committee of the Kowloon Residents' Association, and for 10 years a churchwarden at St. Andrew's Church, from the main entrance of which he has been

Dr. F. Lindsay Woods, the Port Medical Officer at Amoy, is shortly proceeding to England, on leave.

Among the passengers who arrived by the P. and O. Kurnabi was Mrs. L. E. Hopkins, wife of the manager of the P. and O. Bank in Hongkong.

The King has approved the appointment of the Rev. George Frederick Saywell, M.A., editorial secretary of the Church Missionary Society, to the rectory of Holy Trinity, Marylebone. Mr. Saywell visited Hongkong some years ago on a tour of inspection of Mission Stations.

Among the gifts presented to Master George Lascelles, elder son of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, on the occasion of his birthday was a copy of an illustrated London News published in 1845, containing an account of the great rejoicings attending the coming-of-age and marriage of his great-grandfather, Lord Lascelles, father of the present Earl of Harwood.

Nottingham was greatly stirred by the Prince of Wales's attendance at the wedding of Miss Vera Birkin and Mr. James Seely. But the bride is a sister of Mrs. Dudley Ward, and therefore very much in the Prince's set, so it was only natural that H.R.H. should be there. The Birkins have made a huge fortune, out of lace. Their manufactory at Nottingham is said to be the biggest in the world.

Mr. Baldwin's modesty is an attribute which has won him many friends. Not long after he became Prime Minister, a lady who had met him once before, was invited to the same house to dinner. Though she naturally remembered him, she did not know if he would remember her. After a while, he came up to her. "I think we've met before," he said simply. "My name's Baldwin."

The arrangement to hang the much-discussed painting of the introduction of Lady Astor to the House of Commons in the Guildhall will still under consideration, but in the meantime the picture is being lent to the Bedford College for Women. Bedford College is the oldest university college for women in the country. It was founded in 1849 by Mrs. Elizabeth Jesser Reid, more than twenty years before Girton and Newnham, and among its early students were

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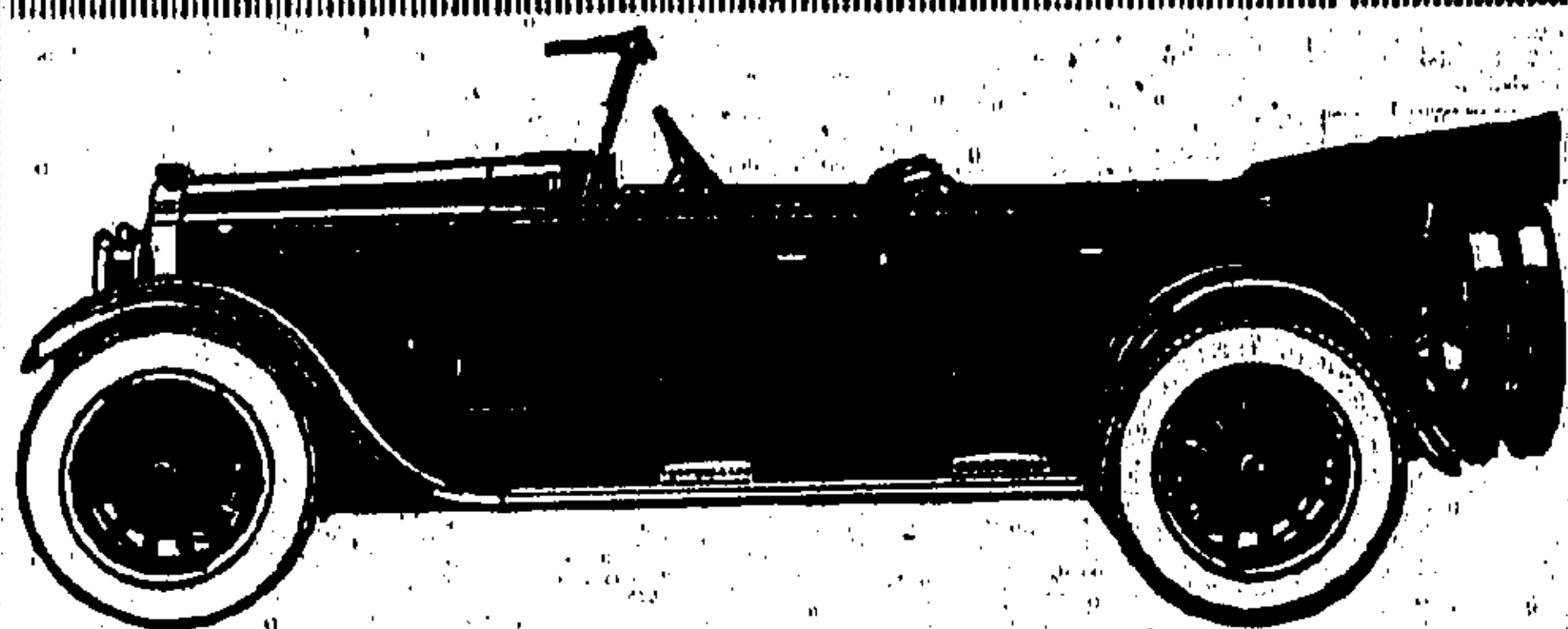
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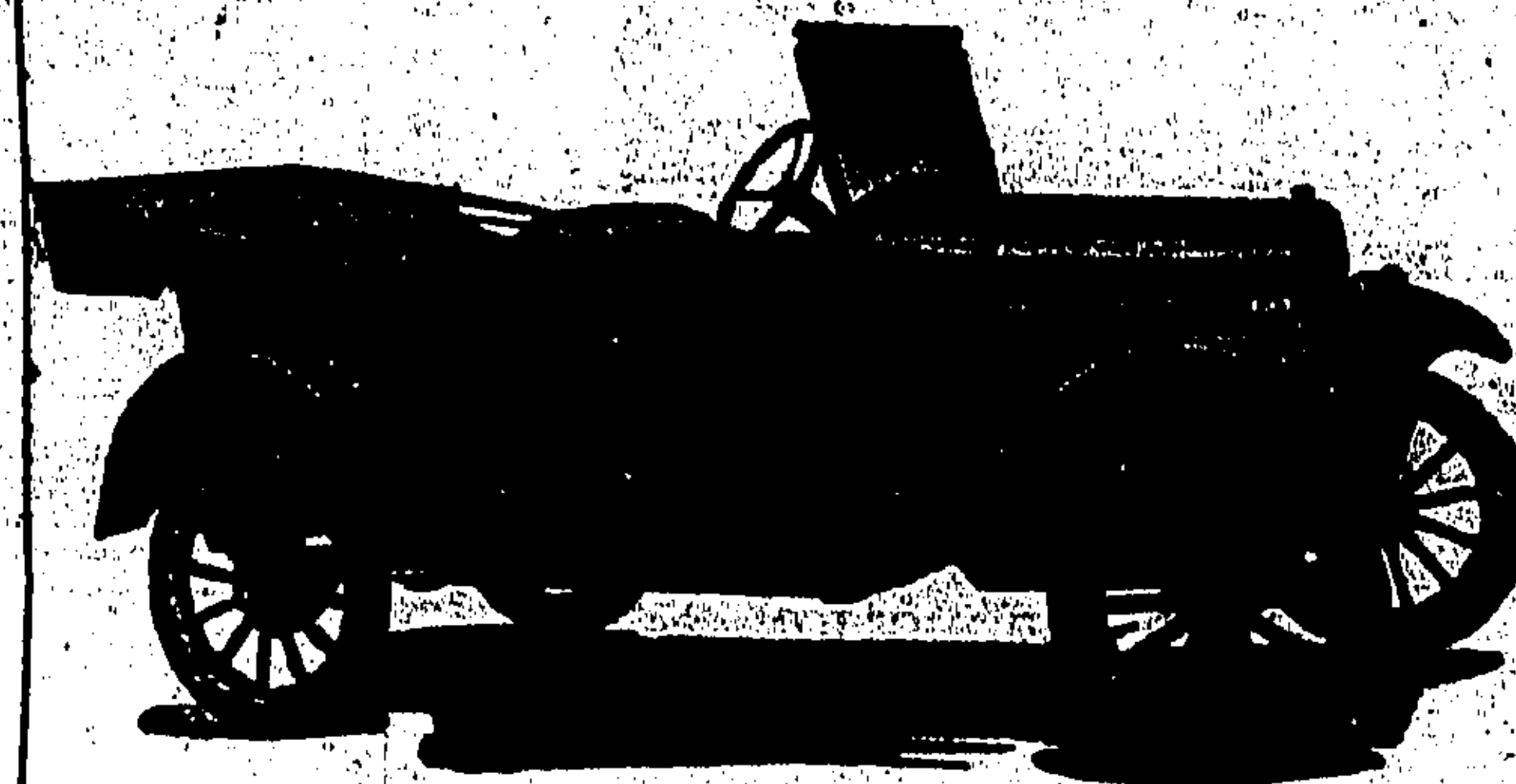
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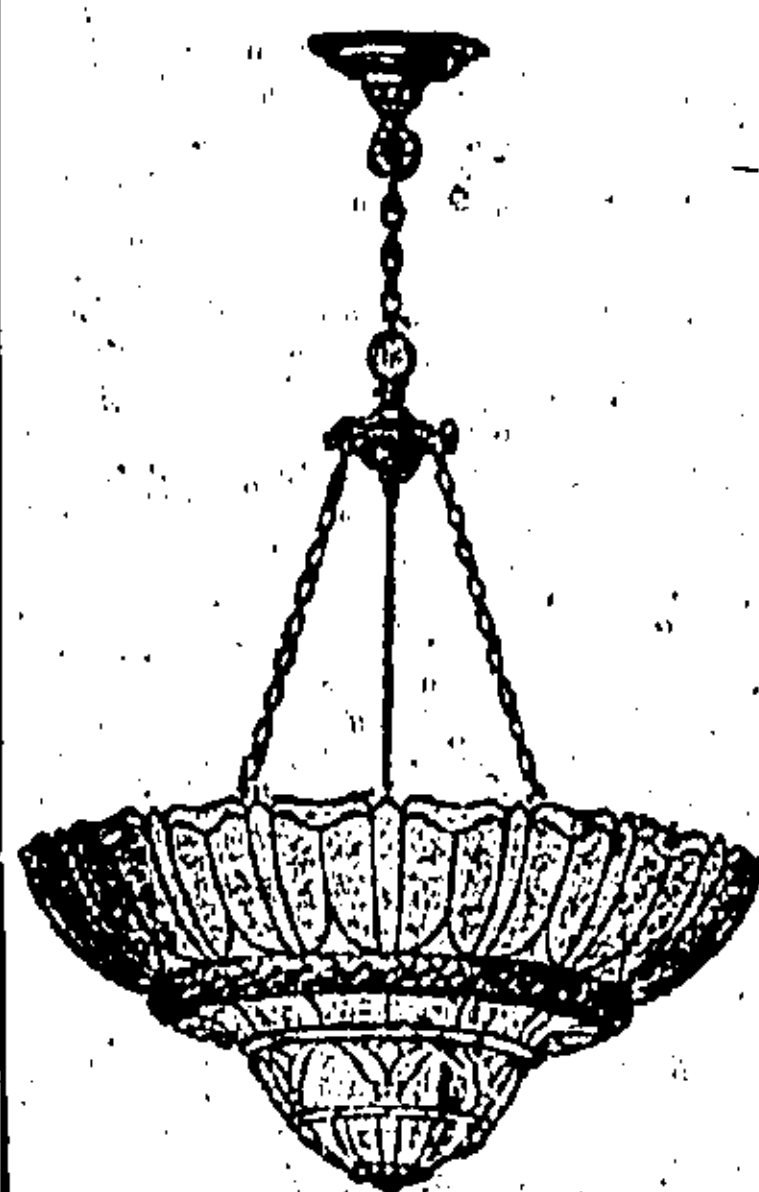
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THE CLOSING.

Promptly at 6 p.m., on April 4, the Campaign will close in the office of the Campaign Department, Yee Sang Fat Building. All contestants in the office at that hour will be waited on and votes dropped in the ballot box. The box will be sealed and turned over to the judges who will take it to the Hongkong Hotel where the count will be made.

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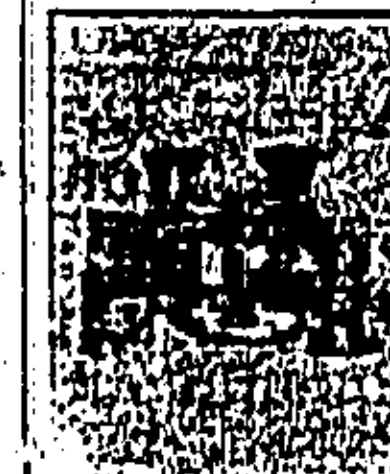
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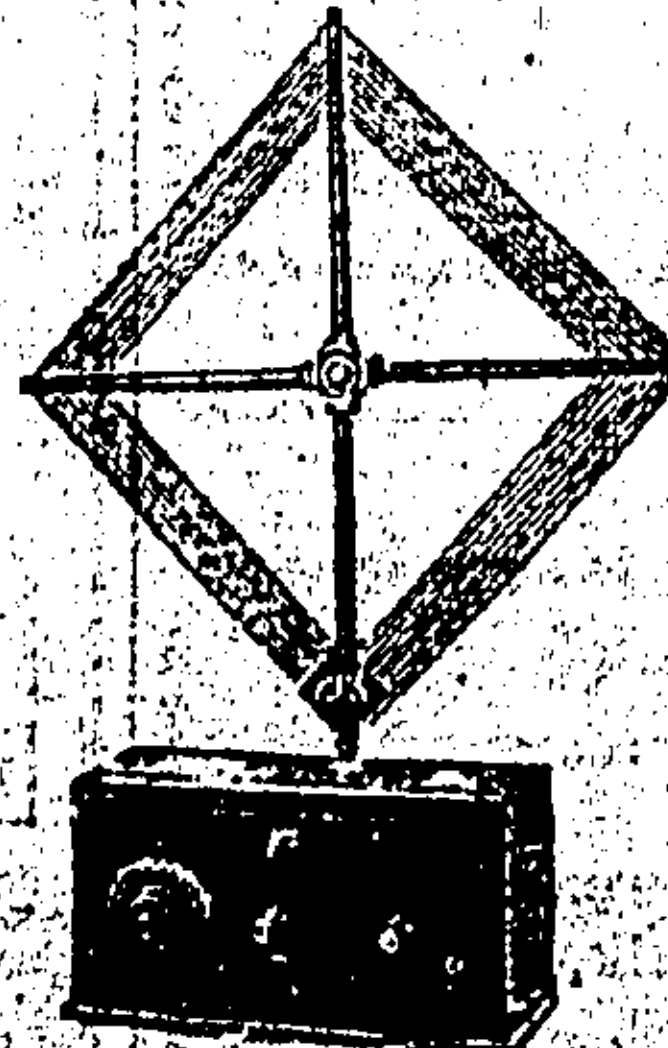
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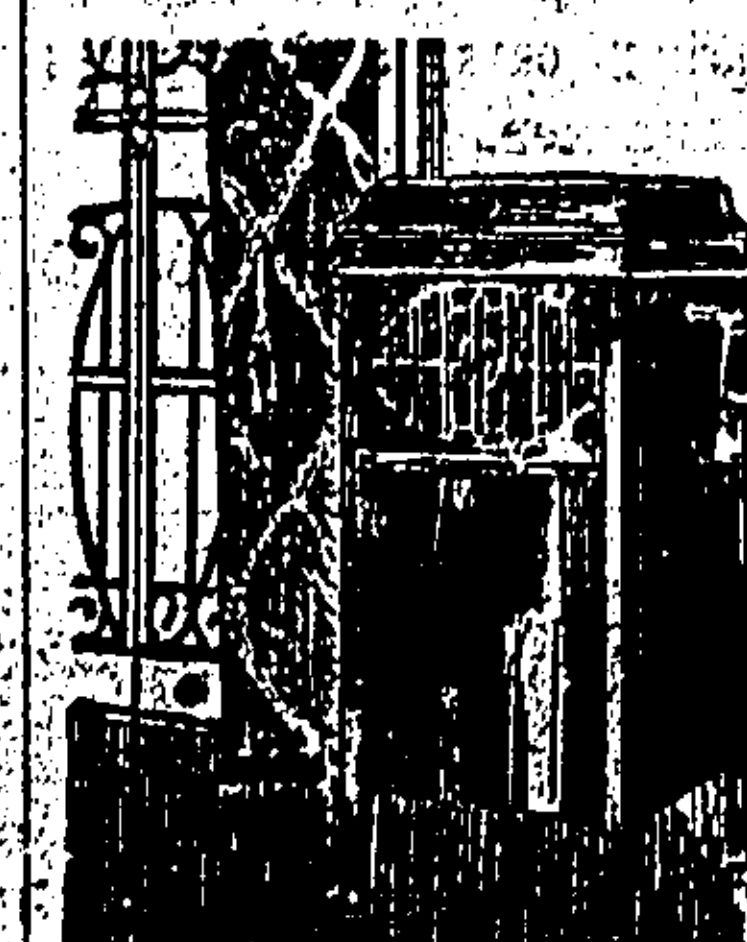
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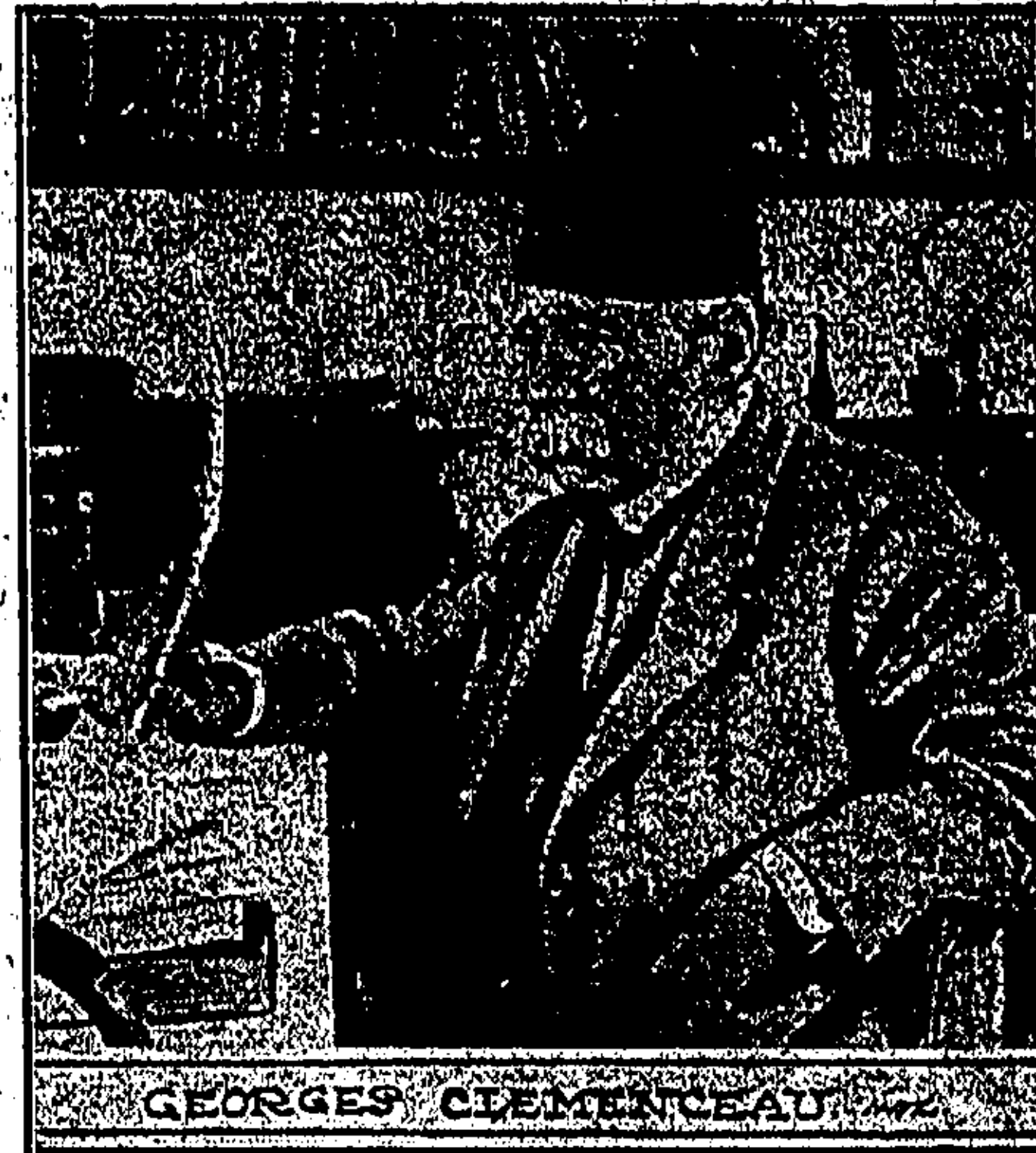
Why Her Tears?



MRS. MARIE JERITZA

Opera lovers are wondering why
Mrs. Marie Jeritza took so long to
answer curtain calls when she sang
"La Tosca" and why she then appear-
ed in tears. It was remarked that
Beniamino Gigli, who sang opposite
her, did not appear. It is admitted
the prelude was a push by Gigli, but
Baron von Popper, Jeritza's husband,
threatens to slap the face of anyone
who asks too much. Only two weeks
before, Gigli, in an opera, threw
Jeritza over the footlights.

FRENCH TIGER'S SECLUSION.



GEORGES CLEMENCEAU

Mr. Georges Clemenceau, War Premier of France, is living in
practical seclusion in his humble household at St. Vincent-sur-Jard,
and spends most of his time in reading, writing and tending a tiny
garden. He is eighty-four years old, and hopes to pass the century
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Work went on apace for the inauguration of President Coolidge on March 4, when the grand
ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel, in Washington, was trimmed for the great dance which followed the
inauguration ceremonies. The ball was the most brilliant of recent years.

OTTO WIEDELD

Dr. Otto Wiedfeldt, retiring Ger-
man Ambassador to the United
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New York for Germany, where he
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of the dead man.

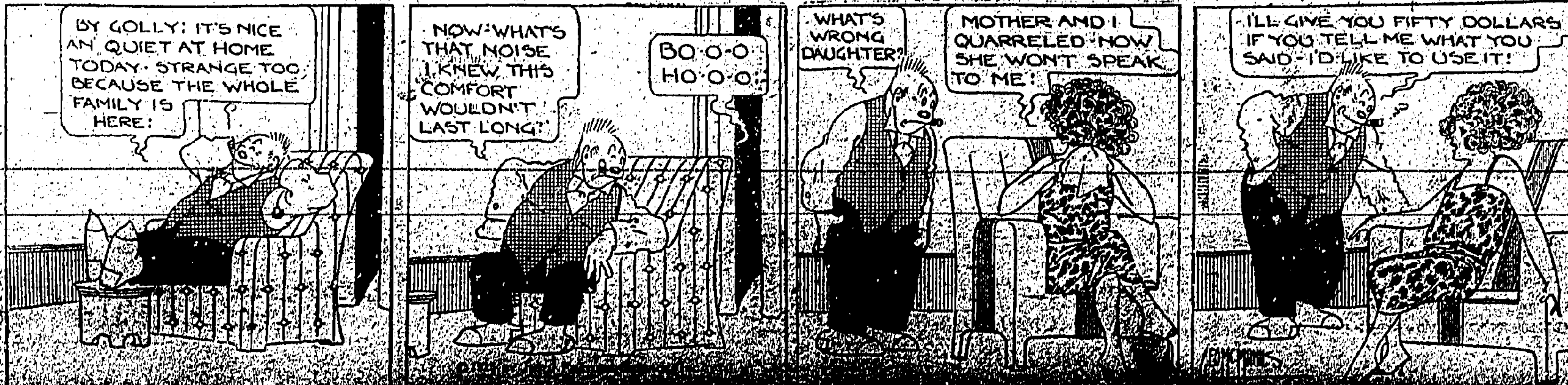
Italian Leader.

Giovanni Giolitti, former Italian
Premier, who is the fighting mouth-
piece of the Liberals.

FIGURES IN THE NEWS SPOTLIGHT.

George Calligan, Sheriff of "Bloody Williamson" County, Illinois,
has promised the Governor to remain away as long as his presence is
likely to cause another K.K.K. flare-up. Mickey Walker is welter-
weight champion of the world. Julius Fleischmann, "yeast king,"
dropped dead from the back of his pony while playing polo. Brig-
adier General William Mitchell, Assistant Chief of the United States Army
Air Service, is the chief figure in the battle over alleged mistreatment
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